

SHORE EXCURSIONS



Itineraries for Cruise Clients visiting Port of Kotor



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- Mercedes Sprinter buses for smaller groups (16 people),
- Mercedes Vito or similar (7 passenger seats with driver, or 6 passenger seats with driver and guide) for private tours.



Kotor Old Town



Tour 1 - Kotor Old Town	Guided Walking Tour of Kotor Old Town
Price	From 15,00 € per person
Time	2 hours (or 3.5 hours if taking the fortress hike without guide)
Included	Guide, Map of Old Town Kotor, Entrance to Kotor Old Town and Maritime Museum.
Not Included	Refreshments, Entrance to the Cathedral of Saint Tryphon in Kotor (4,00 € per person) Entrance to fortress of San Giovanni (8,00 € per person)

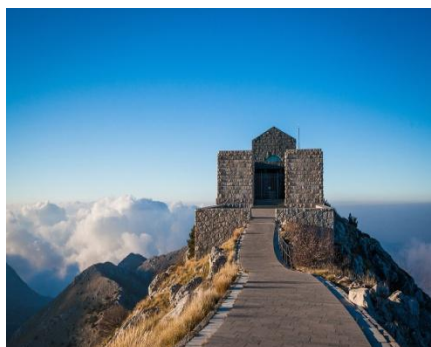
Prices of excursions			
2 -5 pax	6-15 pax	16-25 pax	26-50 pax
35,00 € per person	25,00 € per person	20,00 € per person	15,00 € per person

Guided tour of Kotor Old Town - UNESCO World Heritage site. This walking tour of the Kotor's old town is perfect if you only have a short time visiting from a cruise ship. The tour provides an excellent orientation in Kotor and visits St. Tryphon Cathedral and the Maritime Museum.

The Old town of Kotor is one of the best preserved medieval towns in this part of the Mediterranean. It has succeeded in preserving its original form, so typical of towns between the XII and the XIV century. The asymmetric structure of the narrow streets and squares, combined with the numerous valuable monuments of medieval architecture, contributed that Kotor is placed on UNESCO the world natural and cultural heritage lists. Our guided tour takes you through the warren of stone paved streets to visit the sunlit squares. Highlights of the tour include a visit to the Maritime museum and St. Tryphon Cathedral. Visitors with more energy can take the optional path to climb up 260 meters to the top of the town's fortifications. From San Giovanni castle at the highest point you can enjoy spectacular views of the Bay of Kotor and the town's ancient streets which extend beneath you.

Information: Kotor Old Town is fairly shaded inside the town walls and involves mainly flat walking on ancient stone cobbled streets. If you wish to climb up to the fortress we recommend taking a sun hat, sun cream, bottled water and sturdy walking shoes (don't forget your camera!).

Mount Lovcen & Njegusi



Tour 2 - Mount Lovcen&Njegusi	Tour to Mount Lovcen, Mausoleum of Njegos and Njegusi
Price	From 40,00 € per person
Time	Half day - 5 hours
Included	Transport, Guide, National Park and Mausoleum entrance fees, Tasting of famous homemade Njegusi cheese, prosciutto and wine in Njegusi village
Not Included	Refreshments

Prices of excursions				
2 pax	3-6 pax	7-17 pax	18-28 pax	28-50 pax
180,00 € per person	130,00 € per person	65,00 € per person	55,00 € per person	40,00 € per person

Unique tour during which you can see some spectacular view points, incredibly beautiful places and historical monuments. Just after a short drive from Kotor you will be amazed by the Old Road constructed in 1879 by Austro-Hungarians to connect Kotor and Cetinje (Old Royal Capital). It has 25 curves till the point in which the road divides where we go to the top of Lovcen Mountain or towards Cetinje. On our tour we go to reach the top of the mountain. Lovcen is a mountain range in the system of Dinaric Alps, which rises steep from the edge of Adriatic area, above coastal Montenegro. From Lovcen you can enjoy in magnificent view to amazing Boka kotorska bay, one of the most beautiful scenery in whole Montenegro, the view of the open sea, of the Skadar Lake, and of Cetinje, even of the distant Prokletije mountain and Italian coast, on the opposite side of the Adriatic, during clear days. Jezerski Peak (1.675 m) is the second highest point of the National Park "Lovcen" there is a mausoleum of the famous Montenegrin poet and ruler Petar II Petrovic Njegos on the mountain top. The mausoleum sits at the top of a climb of 461 steps. The most impressive part of the mausoleum is the chapel which has six sides and one central niche, it is built from the finest Boka and Brac marble. The beautiful ceiling is 9 meters high and covered with over 200,000 gilded tiles creating a fascinating mosaic. After mausoleum we head towards a village Njegusi located on the slopes of Mount Lovcen best known as the birthplace of the Petrovic dynasty, which ruled Montenegro from 1696 to 1918. Cheese and prosciutto made solely in the area around Njegusi are genuine examples of Montenegrin cuisine. Here we stop for a break and snack delicious homemade cheese and smoked hams. Degustation with one drink and chance to buy the local specialties.

Information: Clients are advised to carry warm clothing and rain jacket as colder temperatures can be expected on the mountain summit. Comfortable walking shoes recommended. Camera highly recommended!

Montenegro tour Njegusi & Cetinje



Tour 3 - Montenegro tour	Montenegro tour Njegusi & Cetinje
Price	From 40,00 € per person
Time	Half day 5 hours
Included	Transport, Guide, All local fees, Tasting of famous homemade Njegusi cheese, prosciutto and wine in Njegusi village
Not Included	Refreshments, Palace of King Nikola (8,00 € per person)

Prices of excursions				
2 pax	3-6 pax	7-17 pax	18-28 pax	28-50 pax
180,00 € per person	130,00 € per person	65,00 € per person	55,00 € per person	40,00 € per person

Every Montenegrin will say: "Who didn't saw Cetinje, haven't been in Montenegro!" So don't miss to visit the most significant city in the history and culture of Montenegro and its numerous monuments: The Cetinje monastery, from which Montenegrin bishops are ruled through the centuries, Palace of King Nikola, Montenegrin king who together with his daughters made connection with 4 European courts, Vladin Dom and historical symbols, numerous embassies and museums...

You will start the day with a spectacular drive from Kotor to Njegusi by the Old Road constructed in 1879 by Austro-Hungarians giving you the most stunning views over the most beautiful bay in the Mediterranean. We will stop at the Village of Njegusi best known as the birthplace of the Petrovic dynasty, which ruled Montenegro from 1696 to 1918. We stop for a break and snack at an authentic restaurant in Njegusi which was always known for their milk products and meat. Famous Njeguski cheese was once sold in Kotor, Dalmatia, Trieste and Venice. Like the famous cheese they also produce smoked ham, which today is their most important product. A journey through "the sea of stone" leads to Cetinje the Old Royal capital of Montenegro town of immense historical heritage, founded in the 15th century. It became the center of Montenegrin life and both a cradle of Montenegrin culture and a Orthodox religious center. Many travelers today will find an abundance of impressive architectural structures in Cetinje, including a number of international embassies from the UK, France, Russia, Bulgaria, Italy, Belgium... Situated beneath the summit of Lovcen which towers to an impressive 590 meters (1900 feet) above sea level, Cetinje is an oasis of peace and tranquility, natural beauty and ample fresh air.

Information: Clients are advised to carry warm clothing and rain jacket as colder temperatures can be expected on the mountain summit. Comfortable walking shoes recommended. Camera highly recommended!

Perast & Island Our Lady of the Rocks



Tour 4 - Perast	Perast & Island Our Lady of the Rocks
Price	From 40,00 € per person
Time	Half day - 4 hours
Included	Transport, Guide, All local fees, Boat ride to Island, Entrance to the museum on the island
Not Included	Refreshments, Entrance to the Cathedral of Saint Typhoon in Kotor (4,00 € per person)

Prices of excursions				
2 pax	3-6 pax	7-17 pax	18-28 pax	28-50 pax
150,00 € per person	100,00 € per person	60,00 € per person	50,00 € per person	40,00 € per person

Visit the beautiful baroque town of Perast opposite the entrance to the inner Bay of Kotor. Hear the history of this fascinating town, which was home to wealthy seafaring families before becoming famous as an artists' colony. This small baroque town reached its height of glory in the 17th and 18th centuries. At that time, Perast had a merchant fleet of around 100 ships. Its sailors were well-known for their skill and courage. In the old town of captains Perast, best preserved baroque totality in the Adriatic, visitors will see the cathedral of St. Nicola and on the island Our Lady of the Rock the church with same name from the 17th century. Walls and ceiling of the church covers 68 paintings on canvas of Tripo Kokolj, one of the best known domestic baroque painters. Don't forget your camera! There will be time for guests to take refreshments at one of the waterfront cafes. This tour is mainly on flat ground, around 2-3 km of walking and reasonable mobility required being able to board the boats to the church islands.

After Perast you are invited to visit The Old city of Kotor, which is as well as the whole bay registered in the pages of World's treasury and it's under the protection of UNESCO. Looking out to the stunning Kotor Bay and surrounded on both sides with National Parks, port of Kotor is truly a unique among Adriatic harbors. Old Town of Kotor resembles a triangle when looked up from air, its cobbled streets and alleys protecting valuable monuments standing proof to this towns' long history. St. Tryphon's Cathedral, Kotor's most impressive building, and one of the most recognizable symbols of the town. Other sights not to be missed are the 17th century Prince's Palace, the 19th century Napoleon's Theatre, the 15th century Sea Gate (main entrance to the town) with the recognizable winged lion of St. Mark, and the town walls.

Information: Comfortable walking shoes recommended. Sun hat for visiting islands.

Tour to Sveti Stefan & Budva Old Town



Tour 5 - Riviera of Budva	Tour to Budva Old Town and Sveti Stefan
Price	From 35,00 € per person
Time	Half day – 4.5 hours
Included	Transport, Guide, All local fees
Not Included	Refreshments

Prices of excursions				
2 pax	3-6 pax	7-17 pax	18-28 pax	28-50 pax
150,00 € per person	100,00 € per person	55,00 € per person	45,00 € per person	35,00 € per person

Departing from Kotor in the direction of Riviera of Budva to one of the most famous views in Montenegro. The former fishing village of Sveti Stefan is perched on a rocky island linked to the shore by a narrow causeway. Once a holiday hideaway to stars like Elizabeth Taylor, Richard Burton, Claudia Schiffer, Sylvester Stallone...the island has recently been restored to its former glory as a luxury holiday resort. It is not possible to access the island unless you are a guest of the hotel, however the viewpoint gives a stunning outlook for photos and sightseeing.

Then we depart to Budva's fortified Old town. Ascents of great Mediterranean cultures marked the spirit of this town, and its felt even today, when Budva is a unique touristic pearl of this part of Adriatic Sea. Perched on a small peninsula, Budva Old Town offers a plethora of historic sites. While its history reaches back to the Illyrian and Greek times, it wasn't until the Middle Ages that the city got its now recognizable defense walls. Budva, along Kotor, is the only Montenegro town with a completely walled city center. Within the walls, one will find medieval forts, a citadel, narrow cobbled alleys and streets connecting small squares around the city. This town became known as a touristic destination long time ago - first tourists came here in 1923 and today it is usually called "metropolis of tourism" because it is the most visited destination in Montenegro and one of the most visited on Adriatic. Our guide will explain the history of the many churches with their well preserved frescoes and icons. The streets of the Old Town are dotted with bars and restaurants, shops and hotels, all supporting the main economic driver of the area, tourism. The area is famous for some of the most beautiful beaches, and Sveti Stefan Island located in front of Budva.

Information: Bring flat shoes for walking the cobbled streets, a sun hat and sun cream.

Skadar Lake



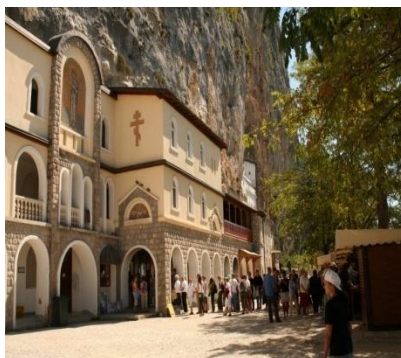
Tour 6 - Skadar Lake	Skadar Lake & Virpazar
Price	From 50,00 € per person
Time	7.5 hours
Included	Transport, Guide, Entrance fee for NP "Skadar lake" and Visitor Centre National Parks of Montenegro, boat ride 1 h
Not Included	Refreshments, Lunch
Note	PLEASE NOTE THIS TOUR IS ONLY RECOMMENDED FOR CLIENTS WHOSE SHIP IS IN PORT FROM 09. 00h UNTIL 20.00 h OR 22.00 h BECAUSE OF THE TRAVELLING TIME TO AND FROM SKADAR LAKE IS AROUND 2 HOURS.

Prices of excursions				
2 pax	3-6 pax	7-17 pax	18-28 pax	28-50 pax
180,00 € per person	130,00 € per person	85,00 € per person	65,00 € per person	50,00 € per person

If you want to view some of the most treasures that the region has to offer, this tour is the perfect choice. National park "Skadar Lake" is protected by UNESCO. It is a beautiful combination of flora and fauna, architecture, gastronomy and tradition. On your tour of Lake Skadar, we will drive you by the coastline besides towns like Budva, Milocer, Sveti Stefan and Petrovac. The road takes us along the slopes of Pastrovska Gora toward Skadar Lake, the largest lake on Balkan Peninsula. Our tour takes you on the perfect route to see a panorama view Lake of Skadar. Then comes Virpazar, a picturesque little town situated at the very lake shore. This is a quaint, old town that has a beautiful abandoned castle over the city. You can hike up to this castle and take amazing photos of the lake as well as the mountains surrounding the area. Skadar Lake is situated on the border with Albania. In 1983, the Montenegrin area of the lake and the lands surrounding it were declared a national park. In 1996 it was added by the Ramsar Convention to the World's List of Wetlands of International Importance. Today, millions of visitors flock to the area to view the beautiful natural landscape. Skadar Lake is decorated by Goricas, small islands covered with wild pomegranate laurel and ivy. Skadar Lake is one of the largest bird reserves in Europe, having 270 bird species, among which are some of the last pelicans in Europe. The Skadar Lake also contains habitats of seagulls and herons and is abundant in fish, especially in carp, bleak and eel. This program provides a boat ride on the lake for 1 hour as well as Visit the Cellar - a wine shop where you can buy the most famous Montenegrin wines.

Information: Bring comfortable shoes, sunhat and cream, and don't forget your camera!

Ostrog Monastery Tour



Tour 6 - Ostrog Monastery	Ostrog Monastery Tour
Price	From 45,00 € per person
Time	8 hours
Included	Transport, Guide, Monastery complex tax, Local transport from the lower to the upper monastery (for groups of more than 20 pax)
Not Included	Refreshments, Lunch
Note	PLEASE NOTE THIS TOUR IS ONLY RECOMMENDED FOR CLIENTS WHOSE SHIP IS IN PORT FROM 09. 00h UNTIL 20.00 h OR 22.00 h BECAUSE OF THE TRAVELLING TIME TO AND FROM THE OSTROG MONASTERY IS AROUND 2.5 HOURS IN ONE DIRECTION

Prices of excursions				
2 pax	3-6 pax	7-17 pax	18-28 pax	28-50 pax
180,00 € per person	130,00 € per person	70,00 € per person	60,00 € per person	45,00 € per person

Even if you are not terribly religious, you are certain to enjoy a tour of Ostrog Monastery. Amazing things have been known to happen here. The Ostrog Orthodox monastery which is situated at 900 meters above the sea level to the vertical rock is truly popular holy place, in the fullest sense of the words is one of the most frequently visited in the Balkans, visited by believers from all parts of the world, either individually or in groups. Ostrog Monastery is the meeting place of all confessions: the Orthodox, the Catholics and the Muslim. The monastery was founded by, and is dedicated to, Saint Basil (1610 – 1671). The monastery has two small churches, an upper and a lower. The Upper Church, built in a cave, was constructed and decorated with wall paintings in 1665, and is dedicated to the Holy Cross. The Lower Church dates from the 18th century and is dedicated to the Presentation of the Virgin Mary.

On your tour to the Monastery, you will begin the 8 hour journey by passing through Risan. Risan is a small port town with only a couple of thousand inhabitants. Logs from the virgin forests in the Bijela Gora are exported to Italy today and this tourist destination offers beautiful beaches. From Risan, you will travel up to the majestic Dinara Mountains and pass Slano Lake with its many small islands as well as the more shallow Krupac Lake. Your tour will then lead you to Niksic which is the second largest city in Montenegro after Podgorica. In Niksic, one of the most popular beers in the region is brewed, Niksicko beer is a local favourite. There are a few sites to see from here but the most exciting is the Ostrog Monastery. For your 110 km tour, you can experience much of Montenegro's culture and its vast landscapes and natural beauty.